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Clean Up The Town

Towns and cities everywhere are setting aside a special day and, in many cases, a special week for cleaning up purposes. In many cities most elaborate plans are being perfected. Special organizations are being created for the safe purpose of taking the most important work in charge. Municipalities are being divided into districts and a special committee takes charge of each district and a sort of competition for results takes place.

Lacombe needs a great deal of cleaning up. Some streets and most of our lanes are unsightly. Some of the lanes and back yards, in fact, are very far from being creditable to a town that tries to pay particular attention to appearance.

Mayor McLeod and the council are aiming at a special clean up this year, but no man and no set of men can secure the best results without the co-operation of the citizens as a whole.

Now is the time to do the work. Vacant lots with several years growth of grass and the accumulation of papers and rubbish that become entangled in it should be burned over now before the grass has begun to grow. Proper safeguards, of course, should be taken to prevent fire from getting beyond control, and, if this is done, nothing will give such good results as a generous application of flame to unsightly rubbish.

The idea of a "clean-up day" is inadequate. It should be a "clean-up week." A day accomplishes little, as has been proven year after year. It has been a decided disappointment. In a week there is time to work up some enthusiasm. The council should provide trees to any who want them at a fixed price for a whole week, and we venture to predict that the demand would be six times greater on the sixth day than on the first. One day leaves no time whatever for the work to spread. For the whole week, too, the council should encourage boulevarding and teams and men should as far as possible be made available for those who want to hire them.

The whole trouble is that this thing can't be done on a day's notice. The preparation should start a month ahead. It should be made an annual affair and looked forward to by citizens and workmen alike.

The city council is willing to fix up, clean up, and paint up, but the great difficulty is that men and teams and facilities are not available when the spirit moves them.

ABOLITION OF SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS A STEP FORWARD

That the influence of the school examination is destructive in many cases is the opinion that is beginning to obtain in educational circles, and in several centres of population, where the problem has been given due study, this form of ascertaining the pupil's progress is being abolished. Few of us there are who have not known boys and girls and young men and women who have ruined their health by intense application to their school or university studies. How many others are there who have injured their health and affected their whole lives, who have not been aware of that unfortunate circumstance themselves until too late? Admittedly there are many students who place undue stress upon the importance of examinations. They study excessively for these tests, undergo a trying strain until they know the results of their efforts. One of the more sensitive students of the strain is continuous so long as they attend school or institutions of higher learning, and when their so-called "education" is complete, they are physical and mental wrecks, of little use to themselves or to their fellow beings. Examples of brilliant school and university students who have been swept into the discard are common, and the bulk of the examination system. It is therefore a matter of common contention that Dr. A. M. Scott, superintendent of education for Calgary, has directed his energy and ability to the preparation of a plan that will do away with examinations, which will establish and preserve records of scholastic standing. The basis of such a report will be the student's work during the term, and in such a promotion will depend.

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GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN ONTARIO.

Toronto, May 2.—The persistent rumors regarding a coming election have stirred local Conservatives to activity and within the next few days conventions will be called to nominate candidates in the several ridings in Toronto.

Sir James Whitney, it is stated in well-informed circles, will not take any part in the coming election campaign, but he may appear on the public platform once on the occasion of his manifesto to the people.

June 28th has been referred to as the possible date of the election.

JUMPED FROM BUGGY DIED FROM INJURIES

Petrolia, May 3.—Mrs. George Kells received injuries from which she died here, when the ambulance which was summoned to take her to the hospital had reached its destination when she jumped from a rapidly moving buggy in which she and her husband were driving this morning. The horses were frightened by the noise of a passing motor cycle and got beyond control.

Mrs. Kells became alarmed and jumped. Mr. Kells was thrown from the rig but was not seriously injured.

The motor cyclist who was indirectly the cause of the tragedy did not stop but returned later and stated that he had been in London and had not been aware of the accident until he reached Petrolia again.

FORMER VICEROY TO CANADA IS DEAD.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, May 2.—The Duke of Argyll, son-in-law of the late Queen Victoria, and former governor-general of Canada, died tonight at East Cowes, aged 69.

John Douglas Sutherland Campbell, ninth Duke of Argyll, and possessor of many other hereditary titles, was born at Stafford House, London, August 11th, 1845. He was the son of George, eighth Duke of Argyll, who died in 1900. He was a statesman who held office under several administrations and who was a member of several scientific and political works. In early life the future duke was known as the Marquis of Lorne.

Nicholson & Switzer are giving the following list of Fresh Groceries: (M4-11)

PROHIBITION IN ALBERTA IS GOAL.

Edmonton, April 30.—Total prohibition of the liquor traffic in Alberta is the object on which the temperance people in the province have set their eyes. It is intended to introduce a petition under the direct legislation act in the legislature this fall. Under this act any number of electors, signing not less than 20 per cent. of the total votes polled at the previous general election, may present a petition to the legislature, asking for the enactment of any proposed act. The legislature, on receiving such a petition for any act, may either pass the act without amendment, or only such amendments as do not constitute a substantial alteration. If the legislature desires to make any important amendments to the act it must be submitted to the vote of the electors, the writ for the election to issue not later than three months, nor later than 10 months after the close of the session.

Preparations are now going forward for the presenting of the petition having the required number of signatures. As the total vote polled at the last election was in the neighborhood of 100,000, at least 20,000 names must be secured. "And we are going to get them," declares W. F. Gold, one of the secretaries of the Temperance and Moral Reform League. Mr. Gold further stated that the indications were very encouraging, and that province-wide prohibition was not so far off as some people imagined. He also expressed the opinion that if the act is submitted to the people, it will be taken about next July, by which time public opinion on the question should be ripe. The temperance propaganda includes conventions in the various constituencies, public meetings, the distribution of literature, and the opening of "No Drink Shops," such as that on Jasper Avenue, where there are posters and models which depict the evils attendant upon the sale of liquor.

The legislature will probably meet again this year in September. If the house prorogues in October the vote on the temperance bill could not be taken before January, and would have to be taken before the following August. The terms of the petition should soon be in the hands of the printers, and the work of securing signatures will be started in a few days. It is likely that the petition, the biggest ever presented to the legislature, will be about a quarter of a mile long.

INSURANCE SCHEME FOR THE PARCEL POST SYSTEM

The parcel post system has suffered somewhat because all packages are carried at owners' risk, while the express companies, by a system by which their patrons can insure against losses of parcels carried by them.

Alive to the necessity for the adoption of a similar system in connection with the parcel post, the government has decided to amend the act during the present session so that all packages transported by the parcel post can be insured against loss or damage of contents. This was the only weakness in connection with the government system, but it was a strong one, and by remedying it the public and merchants will be greatly benefited.

How this matter came to be overlooked is remarkable, but so long as it will be speedily remedied but little harm will have been created by the omission.

No doubt, as the insurance sys-

tem of the express companies has enabled them to keep up their transportation rates in spite of the lower rates charged under the parcel post system, when the act is amended the express companies will lower their rates on parcels in order to protect themselves against loss through competition. In any event, the parcel post will always have the advantage over the express parcels delivery, because the post will reach hundreds of places which the express companies can encompass neither directly nor indirectly, through lack of transportation facilities beyond railway points.

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Dr. J. C. Dorney, of Newburg Junction, N.B., writes: "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effective and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by City Pharmacy.

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No. 226—160 acres of No. 1 soil, 6 miles from town, 14 miles from school, 47 acres cultivated, 50 acres poplar timber, balance open land; 2 good wells, all fenced, 14 story frame house 18x18, frame granary 12x14, log stable with single roof, 16x22; log stable with single roof, 16x22; hen house 14x18, hog house and hog yard. This is a fine piece of land and a snap at the price quoted. Terms \$1,000 cash; balance to suit purchaser.

900 ACRES, PRICE \$30,000

No. 225—900 acres of good black loam soil, 17 miles west from Lacombe, 7 miles from Sylvan Lake, 3 miles from electric line, 400 acres under cultivation, and 400 acres more of open land which can be easily broken, 160 acres of good timber, good wells and running creek of water, all fenced and cross-fenced with three wire and a goodly portion fenced hog tight; 5-room frame bungalow, 3-room frame house, frame granary 24x44, frame barn 50x54, frame barn 24x32, hog house 16x32, implement sheds 12x100, poultry house, ice house, wood house, smoke house, stock corral, set of stock scales; there are also stock sheds to accommodate about 200 head of cattle. All of the above buildings are painted and in first-class condition. Terms, half cash, and balance arranged to suit. This property is without doubt one of the best stock ranches in the country.

PRICE \$30 PER ACRE

No. 83—640 acres of first-class land, 2 miles from Lacombe, 200 acres cultivated, 400 acres clear open land, splendid spring creek, all fenced and cross-fenced, new frame house, two-story, 78x28, with addition 18x18; frame barn 16x32, frame hen house 12x18, with addition 12x30. This is a splendid proposition and well worth investigation. Terms, half cash; balance to suit.

310 ACRES, PRICE \$11,000

No. 155—320 acres of No. 1 land, 34 miles from Lacombe, 100 acres cultivated, good well, all fenced, frame house 14x18, frame granary 14x28, log granary 20x30, log stable 78x32. This is a first-class piece of land and well worth the money. Terms \$5,000 cash; balance easy.

100 ACRES, PRICE \$2,700

No. 194—100 acres of excellent land, 12 miles from Lacombe, 60 acres cultivated, 150 acres of clear, open land, all fenced. Two-story frame house, 6 rooms; frame barn 30x52. This is a fine piece of land and one of the best buys we have on our lists. Terms \$1,000 cash; balance easy.

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No. 232—480 acres of first-class land, 34 miles from Sylvan Lake, 11 miles from Blackfalds, good log house, frame shack, log stables and a frame granary, 22 acres cultivated; all fenced and cross-fenced; two good springs that never fail. This is practical by all open land and an excellent mixed farming proposition. Terms \$2,000 cash, and balance in ten equal annual payments at 7 per cent.

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Dutcher Steers, weighing 900 to 1,000 lbs.....	5c. to 5 1/2c.
Extra Choice Fat Heifers and Cows, 1,000 lbs. and up.....	5c. to 5 1/2c.
Medium to good Fat Cows and Heifers.....	4c. to 5c.
Veal Calves under 200 lbs.....	5c. to 5 1/2c.
Best Lambs.....	5c. to 5 1/2c.
Choice Fat Sheep.....	4 1/2c. to 5c.
Beef Hides.....	7c.
Hogs weighing from 200 to 300 lbs. and well finished.....	6 1/2c.
Hogs weighing 150 to 200 lbs.....	6 1/2c.
Hogs weighing 100 to 150 lbs.....	5 1/2c. to 6 1/2c.
Usual cut on roughs, heavies, sows that have had pigs, etc.	

Hogs price liable to change from day to day.

Mrs. D. C. Gourlay will not receive on Thursday.

W. S. Mooney was a Lacombe visitor this week.

Poultry Netting in 1 and 2 inch, at Morrison & Johnston's, Ltd.

Mrs. U. E. Reeves will not receive on the 12th, or again this season.

Oyster Shell Grit and Flax Meal in any quantity at W. L. Elliott's. (M4-1f)

White Building Paper, 400 square feet, at 85c. per roll—Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

Manager Kerby, of the Adelpi, is the latest Lacombe citizen to purchase a car.

See our special 50c. window on Saturday, May 9th.—Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

Those wishing to buy meat by quarters or sides, can get it from us at reasonable prices.—A. Gilmore. (N19-1f)

Morrison and Johnston yesterday unloaded three McLaughlin cars for local buyers. They are beatuities.

A coat of gravel is being put on Nanton street, and will add greatly to the appearance of this busy thoroughfare.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. George left on Monday on a three month's holiday trip to Coast cities. Miss Fairservice accompanied them.

Take advantage of our special discount of 20 per cent. on Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons.—Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

The Rev. A. C. Schrag, of Calgary, will preach in the Presbyterian Church during May and June.

Attend the baseball match on Friday afternoon—Red Deer vs. Lacombe. This is the opening game, and a good crowd will encourage the boys.

The rain of the past few days stopped the clean-up campaign for a time. No doubt the council will supply the necessary teams for next Friday and Saturday.

You will get the high grade of Gasoline that you want for your auto at Nicholson & Switzer's. (M4-1f)

Dr. Hess' Pan-a-ce-a Roup Cure and Instant Louse Killer at W. L. Elliott's. (M4-1f)

Use Japalac for your Floors and Furniture.—Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

Hosnier's guaranteed Harness Oil, any quantity you want, at W. L. Elliott's. (M4-1f)

For coal oil that will not smoke the lamp chimneys, go to Nicholson & Switzer. (M4-1f)

See Award's advertisement in another section of the paper. There are many snaps being offered at his big sale, and you cannot afford to miss some of them.

The family of A. Gilmore, of the Lacombe Bakery, arrived from Toronto this week, and have taken up residence in the Shook residence on the Avenue.

The City Pharmacy has installed a soda fountain, which will be ready for business this week. An ice cream parlor will also be added.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union for May is postponed. June 12th will be the date of the next meeting.

Jack Murphy, the man with the Fitzsimmons punch who assaulted Constable Morris Tuesday evening, was sentenced to three months this morning by the local magistrate.

From the amount of building going on in Lacombe at present, this year is going to be a record one in the building line. The three lumber yards report business as improving, and expect a good season's turnover.

Work on the Electric Railway to Rimbey is being pushed ahead with all possible speed. The graders are at work now at the end of the line and are also working from Bentley this way. The company is making every effort to have the line in operation as far as the Lake by July first.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the club room on Saturday next, May 9th. Several interesting papers will be read, viz., "Home and Farm Decoration," Mrs. V. Riddick, "Proper Setting of the Table," Mrs. G. Poole, "Current Events," Miss McLean. A full attendance is requested.

Flax Meal, any quantity, at W. L. Elliott's. (M18-1c)

Miss Vera May, of Edmonton, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. N. Morrison this week.

The United States government has consented to pay for a Canadian ship seized in the war of 1812, with interest on its value to date. The collection of long-standing claims is one of the features of a period of scarce money.

You take no chances about your eyes when you consult M. Mecklenburg, the well-known, reputable and long-experienced Sight Specialist, who will again be at the Adelpi Hotel, Lacombe, on Saturday, May 30th.

Your eyes require the very best attention, and M. Mecklenburg, the eminent Eyesight Specialist, of 315 Jasper Ave. East, Edmonton, is the very one to consult. He will again be at the Adelpi Hotel, Lacombe, on Saturday, May 30th.

Clarence Damron, of Bentley, has purchased a car, and is now in a better position than ever to attend to his auction sale business, which has reached such proportions that he is busy all the time.

A small fire started in the engine house of the Empress Hotel on Friday morning about 5 o'clock. An alarm was at once sent, and the fire was quickly extinguished. The collection of long-standing claims is one of the features of a period of scarce money.

Trimble & Garland have received the contract for the erection of five cottages for K. J. Scott at Gull Lake. Mr. Trimble is also building a couple for himself. Building was never so brisk at the lake as it is this spring, and from present indications there will be a record crowd at this resort this summer.

B. S. Cameron and Chas. Raymond left last night for Calgary, where they will attend the Provincial Head Camp Meeting of the Modern Woodmen. The delegates to attend the convention at Toledo will be meeting at this meeting. Chas. Raymond is in the field and has a good chance of being selected.

The Comet Theatre has been taken over again by the owner, R. Shilleto, and opened to the public last Saturday night with a good line of vaudeville and pictures. A feature of the show was the songs by Scotty Johnston, the cowboy singer, and this won the hearts of the audience with his sweet voice. He is a wonder. Mr. Shilleto proposes to have high-class vaudeville every evening.

On Saturday, May 9th, we will hold a demonstration in our store of the "Fireco Range." This Range will save 50 per cent. of your fuel bill, and the advantages it has, over the other ranges, will be fully explained by Mr. Leslie. The ladies of the town and surrounding country are cordially invited to attend.—Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

If the United States would class the I. W. W.'s into Mexico and England ship the submarines to Ireland, it would localize the hostilities and should be a suitable arrangement all round. Ireland dearly loves a diversion such as the Englishman doesn't like and as the subject is disposed to provide. The Mexicans seem to be mostly built on the "won't work" principle.

The Rex orchestra has been strengthened this week by the addition of Mr. G. W. S. into the orchestra. Mr. G. W. S. is a clarinet player unequalled in Alberta, and will make a splendid addition to the already very strong aggregation of musicians. We venture to say that nowhere in Alberta can a better orchestra be heard than at the Rex Theatre, Lacombe. The pictures are of a very high class also, and a pleasant break in the program is made nightly by Mr. Marlow in his popular songs.

Manager Shilleto has been fortunate in securing a great attraction for the Comet on Monday and Tuesday nights, 11th and 12th—The Mysterious X. L., The Handful King. This man is a marvel, and there is a standing offer of \$25 to anyone who can hit him up or put handcuffs on him in a manner in which he can not escape in a short time. Policemen are specially invited to try at fastening him up tightly. He has been engaged in all the large theatres of Canada and the United States, and has never failed to create a sensation.

A man named Jack Murphy accumulated a load of liquid disturbance on Tuesday evening and undertook to put a gentleman of color, who operates the shoe shine department of McDonald's barber shop, out of business. After the black cloud had disappeared out of the back door of the

consorial parlor, the jagged gent began to give an exhibition of his fluency in the manly art of cursing, and from reports received by the past master, Fraser, what we can learn he could curse for fifteen minutes without repeating in English, and then could keep right on in foreign and dead languages. When the air in the vicinity had turned a dark blue, Constable Morris appeared on the scene and gathered the young man in. Sam was taken unawares, not expecting to have to make an arrest that afternoon, and had left his gun, club and handcuffs at the police station. Undaunted, however, he grasped a two-by-four about five feet long, and coaxed the desperado along the avenue with this formidable weapon. Evidently thinking that peaceful ways were the safest, Murphy was accompanied as quietly as Mary's little lamb until the corner of Alberta street was reached. Here he made a bold dash for liberty. Turning swiftly, when Sam was not looking, he led a fierce right uppercut which, missing the constable's chin, landed on the lower edge of his right cheek bone, making a bad gash. Mr. Morris spent a few seconds admiring spurs, stripes and moons, etc., and when he had fully grasped the situation of the case, he saw that Murphy was a block away, running as fast as he could towards liberty. Constable Morris got underway immediately, and getting up a 10 second start, overtook his quarry at the corner of Hamilton Avenue, and by the judicious use of the scantling persuaded him to head towards the cooler. Murphy was thinking of putting up another scrap when the reserves arrived, Constable Miller and Corp. Wells having been telephoned for. With their appearance Murphy came to the conclusion that he was surrounded and all communication cut off, and meandered in a careless manner to the little red building behind the town hall, and Constable Morris proceeded to a doorway and had his face dressed. The sequel to Murphy's jag will give some time today, when he will appear on several charges before the local magistrates. One thing in connection with this affair is the fact that Constable Morris called on several onlookers to assist him in arresting this man. The men called upon were evidently afraid to take a hand in the game, probably on account of the fact that they themselves open to arrest for not assisting, when called on. It should be borne in mind that any citizen, if called on by a police officer to assist in making an arrest, is compelled by law to do so. There is a heavy penalty for not complying.

BORN.

HALI.—At Lakeside, on April 13th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, a son.

CHALLAND.—At Canyon, on April 24th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Challand, a daughter.

HENDERSON.—At Lacombe, on May 1st, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Henderson, a son.

HAMPSON.—At Lacombe, on May 10th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. James Hampson, a son.

DIED.

HENDERSON.—At Lacombe, on May 2nd, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Henderson.

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday, May 10.—The pastor, Rev. E. T. Scragg, will preach at both services. At the close of the morning service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

Evening subject—"A Militant Religion."

BENTLEY CREAMERY.

The creamery will start operating on Friday, the 28th. The cream will be paid for according to quality, a premium of 2c. per pound for butter fat will be paid for all cream grading No. 1. That means that the cream must be kept cold, clean and sweet. For any further particulars or information, call at the creamery. J. F. MILLAR.

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT.

The first provincial basketball tournament will be held in Olds on Monday, May 25, when between twenty and thirty basketball teams from all parts of the province will compete for the provincial championship. In addition to the basketball tournament, a full program of athletic sports is being arranged for men and boys. Lacombe is sending two basketball teams to the tournament, and the young ladies are putting in a lot of time practicing, being determined, if possible, to bring the trophy to Lacombe.

BASEBALL

On Saturday last the Lacombe baseball team took a run down to Red Deer and were defeated by a score of 13 to 7. Lacombe did not get into their usual stride of last year until the last couple of innings, but as this was their first game, not much could be expected.

Metzger started in the box for the locals, and while he was not hit to any extent, some loose playing in the field allowed Red Deer to gain a good lead. "Shorty" Thompson, a new arrival, pitched the latter part of the game for the locals, and was very effective, and when he gets into shape will be a great help to the pitching staff. "Fatty" Thompson, who did the receiving for the locals, allowed two runs on passed balls, and also over-looked a couple of easy fouls.

The Red Deer boys put up a good game all through, and are a much faster bunch than last year. Lawson, who played first, had the misfortune to have his shoulder put out. They are a fine lot of boys and play a clean game—not kicking at any little thing that does not look good to them.

The Saskatoon team had a workout on the grounds in the morning, and one of the players, known as "Chief," handled the indicator for the afternoon game to the satisfaction of all.

The Red Deer team will play here Friday afternoon at 3:30, when the locals will give them a run for their money. There will be a couple of changes made in the line-up, and from the material on hand Lacombe will have a strong team when the season really opens. As Friday is a holiday, it was decided to play in the afternoon, but in future all games will be played in the evening. The new uniforms are expected to be ready for this game. It is hoped a good crowd will turn out and give the boys encouragement. The game starts at 3:30 on the grounds just east of C.P.R. track, opposite Danner's mill.

RICH MUST PAY BURDEN OF TAXES

London, May 5.—The budget gives quite a new turn to the political situation. All parties anticipated that the chancellor of the exchequer, facing an extraordinary situation, would base the income tax as the basis of his plans for balancing the accounts. Moderate opinion, however, was inclined to believe that he would revise the income tax downwards, without adding something to the wealthier classes to pay. Apparently, however, Mr. Lloyd George decided that the plutocrats were quite capable of bearing the whole burden, his grant to the local taxpayers being more than offset by his new demand on the class which most severely feels the double burden of rates and taxes.

In a sense the budget admits the interpretation that it is an electioneering weapon, though admittedly it is unlikely to favor the government in an immediate election. At the same time the income tax revision is bound to provide the government with support from that section of neutral political power which is inclined to favor the party conferring immediate benefits.

Herein Mr. Lloyd George has played his cards well. Avoiding the imposition of taxes upon the poorer classes, he appears to have revised the present incidence of taxation so as to make those able to bear the burden pay. The single taxers are disappointed equally with those who anticipated a general downward revision of the income tax and thus compelling the man with an income of £750 a year to realize the full financial effect of the recent social reform legislation.

The general character of this latest sample of "Georgian finance" seems to indicate that the chancellor of the exchequer is still playing the game of making the rich pay. Certainly the budget's dual benefits will not be converted into pounds, shillings and pence prior to 1915. Still the scheme is sufficiently artistically drafted to permit its use as a telling argument in the now unlikely immediate general election, whilst the longer the election is delayed the stronger the new budget becomes an argument in favor of the existing government.

HORSES AND MULES.—1 pair 5-year-old Geldings, weight 2,800 lbs.; 1 span Mules 5 years old, 15 hands high; span Mules 5 years old, 14 hands high.—Apply J. R. Hutton, Box 12, Bentley, Alta. (A22-2c)

BOARS.—Berkshire Boars and one Yorkshire Sow. Our young boars have taken 1st and 2nd prize at the Lacombe Fair two years running.

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TIMOTHY SEED.—Timothy Seed for sale, 6 cents per pound; Government test 98 1/2 growers; R. N. B. Adamson, Grower, Rimbey, Alberta. (M6-4p)

EGGS—White Wyandotte Eggs, per setting of 13, \$1.00; White Wyandotte Cuckers at \$1.50 each; call or write—Mrs. J. C. Schade, Morningside. (A15-4p)

5 ACRES OF GARDEN LAND in town to rent by the acre or whole piece.—Apply D. Flewelling, Bath Room, Lacombe. (M6-tf-c) P. O. Box 223

TIMOTHY SEED.—For sale, good clean Timothy Seed and 20 tons good baled Timothy hay. Write or see C. H. Ootie, Bentley, Alta. (A15-tf-c)

EGGS—Eggs for hatching, purebred Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, \$1.50 for setting.—Apply Mrs. Krice, Phone 192, Lacombe. (A15-4c*)

TEAM OF GELDINGS, 7 years old, weight 2,800, Grey and Bay, well broken, ready to go to work.—Apply to Daniel Threlkell, Lacombe, R.R. 1, or Phone R1111. (A22-4p)

EGGS FOR HATCHING.—For the balance of the season I will sell eggs from any of my pens of Orpingtons for \$1.00 per setting.—P. R. Banks. P. O. Box 162, Lacombe. (M18-tf-c)

TO TRADE—One Mare in foal, 3 years old, weight 1,500, single driver, and good team matched Black Geldings, 3 years old, for sale, weight 2,300.—R. B. Hill, City Pharmacy. (A22-tf-c)

FARM—A most desirable farm, 120 acres, 4 miles west of Lacombe, on the Gull Lake Road, will be sold for \$25 per acre; \$1,000 down and your own terms on the balance; this is a snap.—Apply on the premises; Mrs. Gibberson, Owner. (M6-tf-c)

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SEED GRAIN.—Silver King Seed Barley, germinating test 97 in 4 days, 70c. per bushel; Mercury Seed Barley, Government germinating test 97 in 4 days, 60c. per bushel; Standwell (two rows), small quantity, \$1.00 per bushel. Bull Orpington Eggs, \$1.25 per setting of 15.—E. Walter Simpson, Lacombe. Phone 307. (A15-4c)

STALLION, WORK HORSES AND MULES.—One high-grade Registered Clyde Stallion, rising six years old, good weight, bone and quality, well marked; one pair work Mules, 164 hands high, well matched, rising five years old; two Draft Registered Clyde Mares; also one all-purpose team; above work animals are all well broke.—Apply Moore Bros., Lacombe, Alta. 17-40-28, south of Gull Lake. (A15-4p)

ROOMING HOUSE.—The Russell Block Rooming House is for sale, and anyone wishing to purchase can secure a snap if they take it at once; lease to run two years yet at thirty dollars a month; always full up and a good money-maker.—Apply to Mr. Sherman, on the premises. (A29-1p)

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5 rooms, with 2 large lots, area 150x160 feet, best part of Lacombe, large hip roof barn, all above new built; big garden, drilled well, good supply of water close to kitchen; good dry cellar; a good property to occupy or rent. (J21-4c) C. M. CHEELD.

House for Sale

A seven-roomed residence on the double corner Edmonton Trail and Trimble Avenue, for sale at a snap. The house is well built, has furnace and good well, law, house, etc. This is one of the most desirable house properties in Lacombe. Apply to JOHN BARNETT on premises. (M6-tf-c)

FOR RENT

HOUSE.—Five-roomed house, good cellar and garden, nice lawn, on Bailey Ave., to rent from June 1st.—Apply to B. S. Cameron, Photo Studio, Lacombe. (M6-tf-c)

FARM.—The N.W. Sec. 1 and the N.E. of Sec. 2, 40x25 W4M; 80 acres under cultivation, balance upland hay; plenty of water; immediate possession. Also 60 tons of hay on this farm for sale at \$2.00 per ton.—A. C. Johnston, 716 14th St., Edmonton. Phone 81918. (A11c)

WANTED

WORK ON FARM.—Farm hand wants work for summer.—Apply at this office. (M6-1p)

RYE.—Twenty bushels of Spring Rye for seed; state price.—A. McBlain, Box 171, Red Deer. (A22-4p)

Girl wanted for general house work. Apply to Mrs. Halpin, Lacombe.

TEACHER.—Teacher wanted for Spruceville School District No. 361, duties to commence after the mid-summer holidays.—Apply, stating salary, to O. H. Walker, Lacombe. (M6-4c)

LOST

GELDINGS.—Three Yearling Geldings from the southwest 1/2 41-26, near Academy 1/2 6 please phone 507.—Bertie Bess, Lacombe. (A22-4p)

COW.—Taken up at my place, just west of Lacombe, one Red Cow, about three years old; no visible brand; has calf at side. O. O. Beebe. (A29-3c)

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Lacombe District News

Ponoka News

It is with sincere regret that we chronicle the death of Clarence F. Carson, which took place on Tuesday evening in Red Deer hospital.

Charlie Lee has suffered severely through prairie fire. Sunday week a fire came up from the west and destroyed two granaries, burning his seed grain, a damage of about \$400. Mr. Lee was from home at the time, and in his hurry to get back, killed a fine mare.

E. Fink, of Hazel Hill, met with a severe accident Sunday. He was thrown from his pony and tramped upon, receiving nasty wounds on the arm and face, caused by the caulk in the animals shoes.

Monday morning John Owens, of Climax, met with a nasty accident. He was opening a gate when his team started up, crushing him against a post. Medical aid was called, when it was found that besides being severely bruised, several ribs were broken.

One of the prettiest weddings of the community took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Everts, on Wednesday evening of this week, when their daughter, May Frances was united in marriage to Mr. Grant Paulsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Paulsen, of Asker. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Eleanor, while the groom was supported by his brother. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Bradley, B.A., in the presence of a large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The bride was given away by her father. After the usual congratulations, the happy party sat down to a sumptuous wedding feast and later in the evening amusements of various kinds were indulged in. The large number of handsome and useful presents attest the high esteem in which the bride is held by her host of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Paulsen leave at once to reside on the farm of the groom at Asker. All join in extending the heartiest congratulations.

There never was a time when people appreciated the real merits of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy more than now. This is shown by the increase in sales and voluntary testimonials from persons who have been cured by it. If your children are troubled with a cough or cold give it a trial and become acquainted with its good qualities. For sale by City Pharmacy. (1)

Clive News

This week the local football team received their new football direct from Old Ireland. It sure looks as if they were out to win.

Mr. Ware, of East Elgin, Ont., is in our midst with a view to purchasing a quarter section.

Last week Mr. Watson, formerly of Delburne, started to build his new residence west of F. E. Allison's house. This is the building which has been erected in Clive during the past month, and we understand that several more will make their appearance during the coming year.

As Clive and Clive district repels prosperity, there is no reason why Clive should not be a town among towns.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Allison on Thursday and talked over the coming year's work. The ladies are working on to make a success. The ladies intend holding it in June.

It was with regret that we noticed the account of the death in last week's Ponoka Herald of a son of Mr. E. F. Cook, which took place at their home west of Ponoka on Sunday, April 19th.

Alix News

The members of Alix Lodge No. 23 and Sincerity Rebekah Lodge, together with a few visitors, attended divine service in the Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m. on Sunday last.

The marriage took place at the Catholic Church, Lacombe, on the 30th inst. of Robert C. Hurley, only son of John Conway Hurley, of Alix, formerly of Glen-duff House, County Kerry, Ireland, and North's daughter, of John Anderson and Mrs. Anderson, of Carrickbeg House, Down, Ireland, and sister to Mrs. James Donohoe, Broadway, New York, principal technical representative of the Vacuum Oil Company.

The following resolution, passed at the annual convention held in Lethbridge, was submitted for approval of the Alix U. F. A.: "That we, the members of the U. F. A., refuse to sign all machine gun notes, offered by any firm, which come in the fall, and that each member must not have any such note, made payable on April 1st of the following year." Moved by Farley, seconded by Schnepf, that we endorse the resolution. Carried.

Rocky Mountain House News

Messrs. Adams and Chambers were in from the Horseshoe district on Saturday getting signatures to a petition addressed to the Minister of Public Works asking for the opening up of the correction line.

Now that we have a threatening machine in the district, many of the farmers are seeding earlier than formerly in order to allow the grain to ripen. Hitherto practically all grains were sown for green feed.

Geo. Lamont appeared before J. D. Skinner, J. P., on Tuesday charged with assaulting Louis Karlson. At the request of the accused the case was remanded for one week owing to the non-appearance of some of his witnesses.

If all families were as much in earnest over the road question as the Roddick family, this district would be noted for its good roads. In order to provide an outlet for the Prairie Creek district, this family alone cut out approximately five miles of road, laid over one thousand feet of corduroy and put in twelve culverts. In connection with this work, we are informed that they have hired me to assist and paid the wages themselves. These are the kind of people who make a country.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by City Pharmacy. (4)

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Lignite News

Mrs. C. E. Stone, accompanied by little Master Robert, left on Monday last week for Port Hammond, B. C., on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Herman Sanderson.

Jim Ralston returned to Edmonton last week.

Miss Green spent the holidays at Red Deer and Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Housen are about to move into their new dwelling house recently erected by J. S. Hunter.

W. Mackay, who spent some time as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Semple, returned to Calgary last week.

J. Mackie, of Alix, was a business visitor in this district, one day last week.

Miss Maud Keeton is at present in Lacombe.

Rev. Aldridge, of the Alberta Reform League, took the services here for Mr. Unton on Sunday week.

The latter is recovering from his illness and we expect to have him among us again this Sunday, May 3rd.

Mrs. Headley, of South Buffalo Lake, was a guest of Mrs. Semple on Wednesday last.

Miss Fern Deen spent some days in Castor lately.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts freely at each application. For sale by City Pharmacy. (6)

Tees News

H. D. Causser is down from Ponoka fixing up his house.

Mrs. Heath shipped a fine York-shire pig Monday.

Mr. Ballard and family have moved onto their farm east of town.

Mr. Armstrong, of Winnipeg, arrived Saturday and intends to go out ranching here.

John Fincham is running the blacksmith shop here this summer.

Chas. McMillan has been ill for the past few days, but we are glad to report him improving.

Lots of suckers in the creek now and other places.

Robert Arton is painting the town and country these days.

Correspondence

To The Editor:
As to the questions of free trade, free agricultural implements, and free wheat, which have been so much under discussion in the press and in the House of Commons, recently by the Liberalists, since the Finance Minister has introduced into the House his budget, the farmers know where they are at another year at least.

The import duty on harvesters and mowing machines has been reduced from 17 1/2 per cent to 12 1/2 per cent, and the farmer's protection against the natural farm products has not been disturbed. There may, perhaps, be some disappointment that the duty on agricultural implements was not entirely eliminated, but on the other hand there is the possibility that with absolute free trade in agriculture

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Then the condition is made more favorable to the Canadian grain grower in the fact that his own wheat is protected from foreign competition by an import duty of 12 cents a bushel. One can hardly conceive what better is needed, except it is to follow the practices of the United States people—make the wheat into flour in Canada, ship to the markets where it is required, and retain in the country the bran and shorts and other by-products of the industry, of which there is such a famine in the land for the feeding of stock.

There is the milling industry and the establishing of abattoirs and pork-packing plants, which should go hand-in-hand, and the generous duties on flour and cured meats retained in the government's revision of the tariff laws encouragement. In both cases, however, they are too big for the farmer or grain grower to tackle unaided. It has been suggested by a leading agriculturist in the east, that on the same principle of the government housing and subsidizing other lines of industry, that the principle be applied to subsidize or erect flour mills in conjunction with the government-owned elevators. For surely something should be done, and that speedily, especially to make sure and put the big industry, which in so short a time has reached such marvellous proportions, on a substantial basis. As to the way out in both cases there is a grand opportunity for both the Provincial and Dominion Government for an exhibit of paternalism. Render substantial assistance to the settler and help everybody by lessening ultimately the high cost of living.

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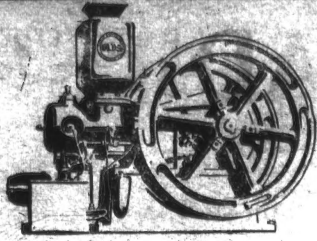
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Government's Proposal for Granting Assistance to Canadian Northern

Ottawa, April 28.—The proposals of the Government in connection with the C.N.R. were placed before parliament in the following official statement issued tonight:

1. A provision is made for guaranteeing the bonds to the amount of forty-five million dollars, which, with the other assets now available, is considered sufficient for the completion of the company's lines as a transcontinental system. Subsequent betterments will, of course, be necessary from time to time. The system, when completed, will comprise nearly ten thousand miles of railway.

2. The company stock issue at the present time amounts to one hundred and forty-five millions, of which about one hundred and thirty-eight millions are held by Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, and seven millions by the government. The one hundred and forty-five millions above mentioned consists of seventy-seven millions of stock in the various subsidiary companies. The total capitalization of 145 millions is reduced to one hundred millions of dollars, of which the government receives 33 millions, in addition to the seven millions already held, or forty millions in all. On the other hand, the stock holding of Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, namely, seventy millions of C.N.R. stock and sixty-eight millions in the subsidiary companies, or one hundred and thirty-eight millions in all, has been reduced to sixty millions; that is to say, a total reduction of seventy-eight millions.

3. Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, have absolutely released all claims against the Canadian Northern Railway and its various subsidiary companies for any services which they have performed during the past 18 years, or since the inception of the enterprise. It is estimated that on the ordinary percentage charge by the brokers and commission houses, namely, a commission of five per cent., the amount thus realized would not be less than from fifteen to twenty million dollars.

4. The government receives security by way of mortgage on the Canadian Northern lines in the three prairie provinces, comprising about five thousand miles. This is the most remunerative portion of the company's system, as the line runs through an excellent location and enjoys a very large traffic.

5. In case any portion of the forty-five millions to be raised, the government's guarantee should be applied in completing or operating any of the company's subsidiary lines, such company must also execute a mortgage for the protection of the government for the amount so expended upon such companies' property.

6. The reduction of the stock issue from one hundred and forty-five millions to one hundred millions, has been accomplished by having all the stocks of the various subsidiary railway companies of the terminal companies' telegraphs, express and elevator companies, as well as the steamship companies, transferred to the C.N.R., so that the government holding forty millions out of one hundred millions of C.N.R. stock has a corresponding interest in

all these companies. The interest of Mackenzie & Mann, Ltd., which owns the townships, which holds are very valuable real estate in the three prairie provinces, has also been pledged to the government as security. The interest so pledged consists of ten millions of bonds and ten millions of stock, which will constitute a very valuable asset.

7. In order to insure that the forty-five million dollars to be raised by the government's guarantee shall be applied to the completion of this transcontinental system and to no other purpose, the government has made provision for the most thorough and strict stipulations in the trust deed, so that not one dollar of the money so raised can be appropriated or diverted to any other purpose.

8. As the company outside of the amounts owed to contractors which are very large at the present time, owes also about fourteen million dollars of temporary loans, raised by the pledging of securities, which have not been sold and which hitherto have not been saleable at reasonable figures and as the company has also a floating indebtedness of between ten and eleven millions of dollars, the government has stipulated that Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, shall give absolutely satisfactory security that both the temporary loan and the floating indebtedness shall be paid off by them without recourse in any way to the money which is to be raised by the guaranteed securities for the completion of the road.

9. Provision is made that all traffic arising on the C.N.R. system shall be transferred over Canadian lines, and, if for export, shall be conveyed to Canadian ports. In this respect the Government have insisted upon an absolute stipulation by the C.N.R., and have not been content to the receipt of a covenant that the freight shall be transported by Canadian routes and by Canadian ports, except where otherwise routed by the shipper, as is the case of the G.T.P.

10. Provision has also been made for interchange of traffic between the C.N.R. system and the I.C.R., subject, however, to any outstanding agreement between the I.C.R. and other companies, such as the Grand Trunk.

11. Provision is made for inspection by the government of officials of books, reports and other records of the C.N.R. and its subsidiary companies whenever the government desires.

12. Provision is also made for the appointment by the government of a director on the board of the C.N.R. and each of its subsidiary companies.

13. It is provided that all the lines comprising the C.N.R. system shall be subject to the legislative jurisdiction of the Parliament of Canada and shall be subject to control of rates by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.

14. Very careful and strict provision has been made for dealing with any situation which may arise in case the company should not be able in the future to carry out its engagements. In the event of any default by the C.N.R. or any of its subsidiary companies in meeting the interest or

principle due on any securities issued by such companies, the government may forthwith, by order-in-council, dismiss the directors of all such companies and appoint three directors in their stead. The new board so appointed and representing the government, will be vested with extraordinary powers which would enable the board with the approval of the government to vest the road, subject to all outstanding securities in the government as trustees for the people; or the board, with the authority of the government, may transfer the road subject to outstanding securities to any corporation or any company which may be constituted for the purpose. In such case the common stock and all the interests of Mackenzie & Mann in the road would be absolutely wiped out and the entire system would be held either by the government in the right of the people or by a new corporation constituted by parliament for the purpose. The long delays usually incident to foreclosing proceedings will thus be obviated and the situation dealt with in a summary manner.

15. The government agrees that for three years after the opening of the through line between Montreal and the Pacific Coast, the government, if requested by the company, will pay the interest on the forty-five millions guaranteed, but the interest so paid must be repaid by the company to the government with interest



thereon from time to time. In other words, the three years' interest if so paid by the government will be added to the principal and will be secured equally with the principle by the mortgage trust deed.

16. A most careful and thorough investigation has been made by the expert accountants of the department of railways and the department of finance into the books, records and accounts of the C.N.R. and its subsidiary companies. From this examination and inquiry it appears that Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, have not withdrawn or diverted any money which has been realized by the sale of securities of the C.N.R., but that all such money has been applied to the construction of the road. From the same inquiry it appears that Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, for several years past have acted as agents for the C.N.R., and as such have made arrangements for the construction of the various lines which are now being built or have been completed. The remuneration by way of commission or otherwise which would have been payable to Mackenzie & Mann, Limited, for their services in this connection, have been released by

Mackenzie & Mann as above stated. The government has strongly insisted upon this point, which was long resisted, but has eventually been conceded.

17. The government has also constituted a board of railway engineers and other experts from the staff of the I.C.R., from the general staff of the department of railways and from the staff of the Transcontinental Railway. This board has examined, so far as it was possible to do so, from information available, the status of the road in respect of its physical condition, and has assisted the government in considering the company's estimate of the amount necessary to insure the completion of the system.

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ACADEMY NOTES

Mrs. I. Scoggins, of Kansas City, Mo., will spend the summer with her parents east of Lacombe. The Calendar Committee held their first meeting Monday afternoon to prepare the new calendar for next year.

T. A. Bowett, of Rosedale, made a business trip to Calgary Monday.

Pastor Reiswig returned from a trip to Trochu last Friday, and will spend a few weeks clearing his land near the Academy and building a house. Mr. Dool, of Lacombe, is drilling a soft water well on the place.

A new Basch and Lomb compound has been purchased by the Academy for use in the science department. The instrument has

two objectives—one a magnifying power of seventy-five times, and the other three hundred and twenty.

The Junior Class elected officers yesterday as follows:—President, Archie Patterson; Secretary, Hazel Knutson; Treasurer, Earl Carle.

Plans are being made for several interesting programs to be given in connection with the closing of the school the first week in June. These will be given by the Senior and Junior Classes, and the Music and Public Speaking Departments.

On Sunday evening an excellent program was rendered by the Public Reading Class and some members of the Music Department. Following is the program:

Recitation—"Beautiful Snow," S. M. Ryan.
Piano Solo—"Days of Yore," by Englemann, Susie Haynal.
Recitation—"The Little Heathen," Clara Gibson.

Organ Solo—"The Shepherd's Song," Robina Adams.
Declaration—"David and Abigail," A. T. Babineco.
Piano Solo—"Pure as Snow," by Lang, Lydia Christensen.

Recitation—"What the License Cost," Lillian Swanson.
Violin Solo—"The Shepherd Boy," by Wilson, W. T. Babineco.
Dialogue—"A Drunkard's Mother," George Belleau and Vera Alcock.

Chorus—"Hosanna to the Lord," Academy Chorus.
A. T. Babineco completed his

school work and left for his home—stead in Saskatchewan Monday.
Mrs. C. J. Rider leaves today for her home near Gull Lake, Sask.

Spruceville News

The U. F. A. held their first meeting in their new hall on Friday night. There was a good number of old members and some new ones, whom we are always pleased to see. The meeting was addressed by Mr. Hutton, Sr., his subject, "Weeds," being very appropriate at this time of year. He was listened to with a great deal of interest, and at the close answered all questions asked to the best of his knowledge. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Hutton.

Spring work is getting pretty well on in this locality, and most of the seed will be in this week. Cobs are coming thick and fast around here, and there seems to be much better prospects for a good crop than last year.

Don't forget the dance in the U. F. A. hall on Friday night next, May 8th. Everybody welcome. Admission 50c.

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NEW WITNESSES

AGAINST BECKER

New York, May 4.—For the second trial of Charles Becker, former police lieutenant, on a charge of having instigated the murder of Herman Rosenthal, District Attorney Charles H. Whitman will call 70 witnesses. The trial will begin Wednesday. Many new faces, it is said, will be seen in the witness chair and several witnesses prominent in the first trial will not appear.

As at the first trial the state's case will be made around the story of Jack Rose, which will be corroborated by "Bridgie" Webber and Harry Vallon. The other member of the quartette made famous in the previous trial is Sam Schepps, but the ruling of the court of appeals in granting Becker a new trial discredited his testimony and made it valueless at the coming trial. The sensational feature of the first Becker trial, too, will be missing. The death in the electric chair of Sing Sing prison on Easter Monday of the four gunmen convicted of the actual murder of Rosenthal removed them from the scene.

CROP PROSPECTS.

Farmers will be immensely grateful for the fall of snow this week, which, fortunately, was fairly general throughout the province. Not only was the moisture needed, but there is a very general belief, or perhaps it should be called a superstition, that a snowfall contains much more "plant food" than a rain fall. After the crop is in, or the greater part of it, farmers are always happy when a light fall of snow occurs, so long as a heavy frost does not follow it. As a rule, warm weather comes after an April snow, and warm weather is predicted now.

Alberta has reason to congratulate herself upon crop conditions so far this year. From the earliest date when seeding could be started, and that was earlier than usual, the weather has been almost ideal in all parts of Alberta, and the government statisticians bear out the opinion that the crop should ripen uniformly in the harvest season.

A good crop this year will mean a great deal to Western Canada, even more than in ordinary years, for the prevailing financial stringency is already on

the mend, and a good crop would expedite the return of prosperous times.

Lacombe has little cause to worry at the present time, though this town has suffered from the "tight money" along with the others. Prospects for a year of rapid expansion are bright, and with the additional well-founded hope of a good crop, pessimism will soon be at a premium.

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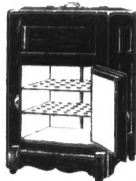
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A Farmers' Government

Dr. Steele, member for South Perth, was certainly not immoderate in his statement that the Borden Government has just claim to the regard of the farmers of the country for the attention it has given to the interests of agriculture. He cited, in particular, the aid given to education under the Agricultural Instruction Act, and, while that in itself is a notable advance, and highly appreciated by the farmers of the country, it is but a suggestion of what the government has done for agriculture. But for the reactionary Senate, similar aid for the promotion of good road-making would now be available by the several provinces. In two succeeding sessions the Senate, in answer to the beckoning finger of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the Commons, held up the government's good roads bill. There was no justification whatever for their act, other than desire to embarrass the government. The measure was not preceded with this session, because there was every reason to believe the Senate's majority was still prepared to impose its will as against the desires of the plain people.

In its handling of the elevator problem, as it affects the west, the Borden Government has shown itself not only alive to the interests of the farmers, but has demonstrated that it is master of the situation. With an energy and foresight that are highly commendable, it has undertaken the construction of interior elevators, to form part of a great government-owned and operated system of terminal elevators at the head of the lakes, at the Hudson Bay Railway terminus, and at Vancouver. This, it may be said, is but part of the government's advanced transportation policy, which at all points has had the interests of the farmer in view. These are not mere statements for political effect.

The increased harbor accommodation that is being provided at the head of the lakes, at Montreal and in the further east, together with the work now being done in the deepening of the Welland canal, are all calculated to facilitate the handling of the produce of the farm. The Hudson Bay Railway in itself will be essentially a farmers' railway. The farmers of the west will benefit directly by its operation. It will prove an important factor as an equalizer of rates throughout the west, and in opening to the west a seaport, the best at Liverpool of any in Canada, will give the added advantage of water competition for a considerable portion of the year.

No other government at Ottawa has ever given the same attention to the live stock industry, and to the development of the fruit trade that the Borden Government has done. The same may be said of its general legislative policy. In the great work of the minister of finance last session when the Bank Act was revised, a work that the Laurier Government put off for year to year, the Borden Government was prompt with it, the interests of the farmer were given every consideration, and their representations found expression in the act as finally adopted.

In the matter of tariff duties the interests of the farmer have been kept well to the fore. Liberals, out of office, are repeating what they said during their former long period of opposition of what they would do if only they were in power. But their utterances in the budget debate give little promise of fulfillment of pledges. On their tariff policy they are a sadly disunited party. In due breath they have proclaimed their faith in free agricultural implements, and in the next have demanded that duties on iron and steel be increased beyond their present modicum of protection. A Nova Scotia Liberal has denounced the government for giving the farmers free fence wire, because it favors the farmer as against the steel manufacturer. Liberals in Brandon, the home of the agricultural implement industry, are protesting against the other faction of Liberals who are demanding free agricultural implements. These are the cries of a party out of office that, in power, did nothing to redeem its loud-mouthed promises. Clearly the farmer has nothing to hope for from Laurier.

The Borden Government, on the other hand, without any loud protestations of virtue, has reduced the duties on a large class of agricultural implements to 12 per cent., a reduction at one cut of more than double that made by the Laurierites in fifteen years. The farmers already have free traction ditches, due to legislation of last session, and this year parts of ditches have been added to the free list. Provision, too, has been made for free fence wire, an item of serious consequence in the great unfenced west.

While in no sense a rampant measure, it will not be forgotten that it was under the Borden Government that the west has received its great reduction and levelling of railway freight rates.

This, and more, the Borden Government has been enabled to accomplish for the farmers of the country, despite the sectional opposition of the Laurier-led Liberals. Generously supported by the people for fifteen years, Sir Wilfrid has grown arrogant and ungrateful. His idea of democracy seems to be ruled by privilege. He has laid it down as a rule that only such measures as meet his approval shall become law. Defeated in the country, he seeks still to impose his will by the might of a majority in the Senate, in defiance of the people.

With increased representation from the west that will follow redistribution, with a larger representation in the Senate that will equalize the voting forces of the "red chamber," and put it more in harmony with the will of the people, the Borden Government will be enabled to give further attention to matters among farmers, cheaper rural credits, an improvement of social conditions. To the complaint that all has not been accomplished that should have been done, it can honestly be answered that all has not been done that will be. But what has been accomplished is surely fair evidence that the interests of the farmer lie very close to the heart of the Borden Government.

Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these Tablets. Sold by City Pharmacy. (3)

ALL "MOVIE" FILMS MUST PASS THE ALBERTA CENSORS

There are certain moving picture films that have provoked adverse criticism in Alberta. As pointed out a short time ago, this province should not be content to accept the censorship of the officials of other provinces in a matter of so great importance, and it was satisfactory to learn that a moving picture room has been set up in the Alberta legislative building, and that on and after the 1st of May all moving picture films brought into this province for exhibition will be inspected there before being sanctioned for public entertainment.

This should protect the moving picture theatres from odium, and where there is room for condemnation there will no longer remain the excuse that the objectionable films had been sanctioned by the censors of another province.

This new provision may entail some inconvenience to those running these films, but they have only themselves to blame. One place of public entertainment, especially those that are largely patronized by children, must be adequately protected from every exhibition calculated to leave an undesirable impression on the minds of those, many of whom are at the most impressionable age.

Any scene that incites to crime, and every depiction of the shady side of life, should be strictly re-jected from the public view, and the educational side of these pictorial diversions must be all on the clean side. The other side can be learned without paying for it as a phase of amusement, for anything that tends to degenerate the moral character of the audience.

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What Tomfoolery

To The Editor:

"At the meetings of the United Kingdom Alliance in Manchester, England, last December all over the world, including Chinese physicians, of the highest rank and reputation in their profession were present. They all spoke of alcohol as a dreadful profligate poison which lowers the vitality and renders the system more liable to disease, especially consumption. This most terrible of all diseases is the most deadly disease in the world. A great Paris doctor found that there was no question that the man who took alcohol in however small quantities, introduced into his blood that which tremendously lowered the power of the white cells to overcome the microbe. That has been proved directly and indirectly by statistics of persons who have visited Paris in order to be treated of various diseases."

"Sir Arnold White has discovered that the germs of consumption are found in greatest numbers in the bedroom of a victim of tuberculosis, and that the most prolific source of this deadly enemy of man is the public bar room. Medical officers of health, including our own distinguished Dr. Niven, are in perfect accord with that opinion."

Some time ago the International Congress on Tuberculosis met in Paris, and was attended by the world's greatest experts in that disease. That congress passed unanimously a resolution which they forwarded to the government of every country to the effect that the fight against tuberculosis must everywhere be combined with the fight against alcohol."

The doctors who passed that resolution were not temperance cranks, but men who devoted their lives to the study of tuberculosis, and they said, "If you are going to fight this monster, simultaneously fight alcohol."

In view of these facts, what tomfoolery it is to talk about stamping out consumption without attacking the cause.

And what folly it is to maintain places to that this consumption and at the same time to be spending thousands in an attempt to stamp out the disease.

H. ARNOTT, M.B., M.C.P.S.

C. N. R. COLLATERAL TO BE SECURED BY TRUST DEEDS

Ottawa, April 30.—In connection with the government's C.N.R. aid proposals, the guaranteed securities are to be secured by a trust deed, covering a first charge upon the following constituent or subsidiary companies of the system:

Bay of Quinte Railway, \$1,395,000;
Canadian Northern Pacific Railway, \$25,000,000;
Canadian Northern Alberta Railway, \$3,000,000;
Canadian Northern Western Railway, \$2,000,000;
Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway, \$1,000,000;
Canadian Northern Manitoba Railway, total issue, \$3,329,000;
Juniata, Winnipeg Pacific Railway, \$2,600,000;
Halifax & Southwestern Railway, \$1,000,000;
Irontide, Bancroft & Ottawa Railway, \$53,000;
Mount Royal Tunnel & Terminal Company, Limited, total issue, \$3,000,000;
Marathon Railway & Mining Company, \$100,000;
Northern Colossal

McPherson's Mill is now running on Sec. 17, Tp. 41, R. 5, Weth. Look them up.

Shorthorn Bulls For Sale

I have three year old, and three yearling Shorthorn Bulls, all registered, and all good ones, for sale, see them at Dugg's Barn, Lacombe. (A29-2p) W. C. WEST, Owner

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SECOND HAND GOODS
1 Set Driving Harness \$15.00
1 Set Working Harness 10.00
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1 Pair Shaps, Angora Goat 15.00
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1 Good Drop Head Sewing Machine 15.00
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2 Cook Stoves \$8.00 and 10.00
5 Phonographs and 500 Records at Snaps

NEW GOODS
Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Dressers and Stands, Chairs, Ranges, Cooking Utensils, some Hardware, Musical Instruments, Perfect and Standard Bicycles and Accessories, Barb Wire, Sunlight Coal Oil, Rec. 5-Piece Auto to sell or trade, Improved Farm to trade for house in town. 1 buy Fur.
O. HOODE, Nanton St.

dated Holding Company, \$4,440,700; Quebec & Lake St. John Railway, \$4,002,000; Qu'Appelle, L. L. & Saskatchewan Railway, \$201,000.

MORTGAGES GIVEN.
A specific mortgage is given on the following shares, mortgaged under the perpetual consolidated debenture stock trust deed of 1903:

1—The Minnesota & Ontario Bridge Company, bonds of the Canadian Northern Railway, \$180,000; fully paid shares \$400,000.

2—The Minnesota & Manitoba Railway Company, three five per cent. general mortgage bonds, \$250,000; fully paid shares 400,000.

3—Lake Superior Terminal Company, Limited, ten first mortgage five per cent. bonds, \$100,000; five per cent. gold bonds, \$100,000.

4—Canadian Northern Telegraph Company, four five per cent. gold bonds, fully paid shares, \$500,000.

5—Winnipeg Land Company, Limited, three first mortgage five per cent. gold bonds, \$300,000; fully paid shares 100,000.

6—The Canadian Northern Coal & Ore Dock Company, five per cent. first mortgage gold bonds, \$375,000.

7—The St. Boniface and Western Land Company, three per cent. gold bonds \$750,000; fully paid shares 250,000.

8—The Edmonton & Slave Lake Railway first mortgage five per cent. gold bonds \$420,000.

9—Canadian Northern Railway Express Company, Limited, three four per cent. mortgage gold bonds \$3,000,000; fully paid shares 1,000,000.

DOES IT GO FAR ENOUGH.

Mackenzie and Mann are reported to have said they were not satisfied with the Canadian Northern relief offer made by the Borden Government. This was to be expected. Even had the offer been much more favorable to them than it is, it would still have been good business for them to express dissatisfaction. The proposal has not been adopted by the parliament yet.

In this matter, however, what Mackenzie and Mann think of the proposal is of little consequence as compared with what the people of Canada think of it—a fact which Dominion legislators will do well to bear in mind. The people are not specially interested in the feelings of the railway promoters.

A Canadian Northern Transcontinental Railway, as proposed by Mackenzie and Mann and fostered by the Laurier Government, while a welcome addition to the country's transportation facilities, was destined to become a most expensive business for the country.

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The Borden Government is endeavoring to expedite the completion of the work while at the same time paying attention to the rights of the people as guarantors of the enterprise. Regardless of the feelings of Mackenzie and Mann, and only with the ultimate success of the railway in view, has the government gone as far as it might or ought in protecting the rights of the people in this latest generous proposal. That is the "big question" upon which it will not be possible to reach a conclusion until there has been some illuminating debate in the commons.

FOR SALE CHEAP FOR CASH.

1 Reg. Yorkshire Boar, 2 years; 4 Poland-China Sows (bred); also Yearling to three-year-old Shorthorn Bulls; good ones; some nice Shorthorn Heifers, 2 and 3 years old, heavy in calf, and calves at foot; 1 3-year-old Single Driver; also Yearling; would make a good team.—Apply RAINY, Clover Leaf Farm, 3rd Road West of Blackfalds, and 1 Mile South.



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(A29-4f-c)

NURSING.
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A29-3c

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William Ethan Crego

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Dated at the Town of Lacombe, this 27th day of April, 1914.
RUTH SARAH MUTTART, Executrix of the Estate of the said deceased.

EDWIN HAROLD JONES, Solicitor for the said Executrix.
(A29-3c)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF WETASKIWIN.

In the matter of the guardianship of Martin Oscar Olsen, John Arthur Olsen, Axel Olsen, and Ida Esther Olsen, the infant children of Martin Rudolph Olsen, late of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, a person of unsound mind.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the above Court at Wetaskiwin, on Monday, the 18th day of May, 1914, at 2:30 o'clock p.m., or soon after as the application can be heard, for the grant of letters of Guardianship of the above-named infants to Gustaf Collins, of Lacombe, in the said Province of Alberta; brother-in-law of the said infants.

Dated at Lacombe, this 27th day of April, 1914.
EDWIN H. JONES, Solicitor for the Applicant.
(A29-3c)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF WETASKIWIN.

Between C. J. Waldern, Plaintiff, and Morris V. Yeager, Defendant.

To Morris V. Yeager
The above-named defendant:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in this Court for the recovery of a sum of \$407.40, damages for Breach of Contract, under a certain agreement made between yourself and the plaintiff, respecting the sale of grain.

And you are commanded by the Order of His Honor Judge William A. D. Lees, made the 27th day of April, 1914, to enter an appearance to the said action, and file your statement of defence in the office of the Clerk of this Honorable Court, at the City of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, on or before the 14th day of June, 1914, otherwise the said Clerk of the Court will enter up judgment against you for the amount of the claim

